

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant:

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## SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## **Introductory Comments**

As a Supplemental to the Response filed to the Office Action of July 15, 2003. Submitted herewith are the Declarations of Dr. Seiter and Dr. Bös.

These declarations attest to the superior results achieved by the innersole of the present invention with respect to the phlebotic function.

The Examiner is urged to consider these declarations when reconsidering the claims now pending.

Respectfully submitted,

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